

Year 8 Curriculum Overview

Subject	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Life Skills	Friendship, Bullying, Diversity and Protected Characteristics Part 2	Mental Health and Emotional Wellbeing	Economic Wellbeing in the Digital World	RSE Year 8	Substances	Careers - Going Deeper
Maths	Ratio and Scale, Multiplicative Change, Fractions	Working in the Cartesian Plane, Data, Probability	Brackets, Equations and Inequalities, Sequences, Indices	Fractions and Percentages, Standard Form, Number Sense	Angles, Area of Trapezia and Circles, Line Symmetry and Reflection	Data Handling, Measures of Location
English	Novel study: The Hunger Games	Novel study: The Hunger Games/ Identity Poetry	Shakespeare: Much Ado About Nothing	Make a Difference	Gothic fiction	Tales with a Twist
Science	Energy Stores and Transfer Light and Sound Waves	Earth and Atmosphere Motion	Gas Exchange and Respiration Photosynthesis	Acids and Alkalis	Chemical reactions	Interdependence
RE	Ethics- how do we decide right from wrong?	Ethics- how do we decide right from wrong?	Discrimination- Islamophobia and the Holocaust	Discrimination- Islamophobia and the Holocaust	The Death Penalty- to kill or not to kill?	The Death Penalty- to kill or not to kill?
Art	Food	Food	Architecture	Architecture	My Voice	My Voice
Computing	Internet and HTML	Python Programming	Continuing with MicroBits	Binary and Logic	Data Representation - Images and Sound	Independent / Group Projects
Music	Guitars	Indian Classical Music	Film Music Performance	Film Music Composition	Minimalism	Independent/Group Projects
French	all about my/ holidays and free time	all about my/ holidays and free time	all about my/ holidays and free time	all about my/ holidays and free time	all about my/ holidays and free time	all about my/ holidays and free time
Spanish	Mealtimes/ dishes/connectives and adverbs of frequency	Mealtimes/ dishes/connectives and adverbs of frequency	Items of food and verbs of opinion Healthy eating	Items of food and verbs of opinion Healthy eating	ordering food/ role play	ordering food/ role play
Geography	Natural Hazards		Rivers		Migration	
History	Why did the Trans-Atlantic Slave	How did ordinary people make extraordinary	Is Jack the Ripper more important as a murderer or as a	What does the struggle for women's suffrage reveal about power and equality in Britain?		What does the Holocaust reveal about the dangers of

	Trade happen, and who benefited?	change during the Civil Rights Movement?	mirror of Victorian society?			prejudice and power?
PE	Dance, basketball, rugby	HRE, Table Tennis, Cross Country, Rugby,	Gymnastics, Basketball, Netball, Football	Volleyball, Lacrosse, Football, Gymnastics	Athletics	Rounders, Tennis, Cricket
Technology	Cooking & Nutrition: Cooking for Others			Cooking & Nutrition: Cooking for Others		
	Resistant Materials: Mood lighting			Resistant Materials: Mood Lighting		